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ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT July 2004 Update

Subarea Health Planning Councils (SACs) Activities

Hawaii The Hawaii County SAC did not meet in July.

Honolulu

Healthcare system – Briefings and updates: Laurel Johnston, Executive Director, The Hawaii Uninsured Project summarized the background and progress to date of this impressive initiative. The project is supported by federal and private foundation funds and has identified four areas which has been the focus of work by key community leaders: enhance and protect the safety net; expand QUEST AND SCHIP; study impact of Hawaii's Prepaid Health Care Act and make proposals which cover workers not eligible under the Act nor government programs. There has been much progress as the legislature has recently approved a significant increase in funding for the safety net and QUEST/SCHIP.

Kauai

Kauai Rural Health Grant Application for Oral Health – Jo Manea, Kauai DOH Maternal and Child Health Coordinator summarized this effort: Applicant Hoola Lahui Hawaii and its partners, DOH and Good Beginnings Alliance are applying for a grant to fund outreach and educational/networking services for Kauai's children. Pregnant women, families, caregivers and their health care and educational providers are targeted. Members voted to have KSAC write a letter of strong support for this application.

Tri-Isle

Richard Young from the Department of Education discussed the Coordinated School Health Program on Maui. Three complex areas received CDC grants to improve health and physical education in their schools. They are going to be defining their areas of focus in the next few months. The SAC is interested in being kept informed of the direction of the program and if there is a role they can play is supporting the goals and bringing community forces together. An Oral Health Summit and Dental Fair will be taking place August 26-28 at Queen Kaahumanu Center.

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West Oahu Lynn Shoji of the Department of Education spoke with the SAC about the Coordinated School Health Program. She described how content areas are tied to skill based curricula and shared the health standards and guides given to teachers to use in teaching health care competencies. She brought a toolkit and explained the seven risk areas that are taught in health classes. Several SAC members will attend a fall curriculum training to learn how they can best support the provision of health education in elementary schools.

Windward Oahu SAC did not meet in July.

Research and Statistics:

The SHPDA website had only 16,024 hits during June 2004 due to redirection and Google search engine problems at the Department of Health website.

The Certificate of Need Application Summaries and Decisions Files, Monthly SHPDA Update Reports, Web Server hits Statistics and SHPDA Calendar web pages were updated.

The response rate for the 2003 Utilization Surveys was at 76% as of July 22. 2004. Follow-up notices will be implemented.

Certificate of Need Applications

- #03-17 Hawaii Radiologic Associates, Ltd. for the establishment of an outpatient computed tomography (CT) services at 77-311 Sunset Drive, Kailua-Kona, Hawaii, at a capital cost of \$1,125,000. Applicant has requested extension to December 31, 2004.
- #03-28 Wahiawa Hospital Association for the relocation of Wahiawa General Hospital services (excluding SNF) from 128 Lehua Street, Wahiawa, to Waipio (Tax Map Key Nos. (1)9-4-006-001 and (1)9-4-006-002), at a capital cost of \$44,756,600. Incomplete. Applicant has requested extension.
- #04-02 Peter A. Galpin M.D. for the establishment of an Outpatient Surgicenter at 200 Kalepa Place, Suite 203, Kahului, Maui, at a capital cost of \$142,000. Approved.

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- #04-12 Maui Memorial Medical Center for the reconfiguration of hospital services including the addition of three (3) medical surgical beds and 14 critical care beds at a capital cost of \$42,000,000. Withdrawn.
- #04-13A St. Francis Medical Center-West for the establishment of a stationary MRI service at a capital cost of \$1,900,000. Incomplete. Waiting for revisions from applicant.
- #04-14 Aloha Mobile Imaging for the establishment of a Mobile X-Ray service on Oahu at a capital cost of \$31,552. Approved.
- #04-15 Kaiser Foundation Hospital, Inc. for the expansion and renovation of Moanalua Medical Center at a capital cost of \$68,450,000. Incomplete. Waiting for revisions from applicant.
- #04-16A Marimed Foundation for Island Health Care Training for the establishment of an eight (8) bed special treatment facility (STF) at Kapehu Road at Mauluanui Road, Laupahoehoe, Hawaii, at a capital cost of \$575,000. Public notice July 22, 2004.
- #04-17A Kenneth C. Arakawa M.D., Inc., for the establishment of an extremity MRI service for early diagnosis of rheumatoid arthritis at 1329 Lusitana Street, #206, Honolulu, Hawaii, at a capital cost of \$229,900. Incomplete. Waiting for revisions from applicant.